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**CALIFORNIA POWER AUTHORITY NAMES
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

SACRAMENTO – The California Consumer Power and Conservation Financing Authority (Authority) approved at today's Board meeting Laura Doll for the position of Chief Executive Officer (CEO).

Ms. Doll, of Austin, Texas, is Director of Customer Service for Grande Communications, a position she has held since 2000. She has more than 20 years experience in customer service, community relations, management and administration.

Ms. Doll was also the Senior Vice President of Planergy for four years. She managed eight locations and over 100 employees to provide energy management services to utilities, municipalities and energy consumers. Ms. Doll was the Chief Administrative Officer for Austin Energy from 1981 to 1995, where she focused on long-range resource planning, strategic marketing, legislative and policy planning and facility management. Austin Energy is a public power utility in Texas and Ms. Doll designed their first award winning "conservation power plant" plan. She also led the response to customer rate revolt, resulting in the implementation of a new billing support system.

Ms. Doll earned her master of public affairs at the University of Texas at Austin and her bachelor of arts degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

As CEO Ms. Doll will receive an annual salary of \$200,000.

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